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Marianne L. Horinko
Acting Administrator
US Environmental Protection Agency
HPV Challenge

Subject: Revised Test Plan and Robust Summaries for
1,6-Hexamethylene bis (3,5-di-(tert)-butyl-4-hydroxyhydrocinnamate)
CAS No. 35074-77-2

Dear Ms. Horinko:

Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corporation supports EPA's High Production Volume (HPV) chemical challenge program and its effort to gather and publish basic hazard information on those chemicals manufactured at high volumes in the United States.

Ciba here submits our revised test plan and robust summaries for 1,6-Hexamethylene bis (3,5-di-(tert)-butyl-4-hydroxyhydrocinnamate).

In this revised submission, we have added a robust summary for reproductive toxicity, added more detail to several other summaries and responded to the questions and issues raised in your letter of December 20, 2002.

Sincerely yours,

Richard Balcomb

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